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A large proportion of the American people are to-day dying from the effects of Dyspepsia or disordered liver. The result of these diseases upon the masses of intelligent and valuable people is most alarming, making life actually a burden instead of a pleasant existence of enjoyment and usefulness as it ought to be. There is no good reason for this, if you will only throw aside prejudice and skepticism, take the advice of Druggists and your friends, and try one bottle of Green's August Flower. Your speedy relief is certain. Millions of bottles of this medicine have been given away to try its virtues, with satisfactory results in every case. You can buy a sample bottle for 10 cents to try. Three doses will relieve the worst case. Positively sold by all Druggists on the Western Continent. *

A Remarkable Result.

It makes no difference how many Physicians, or how much medicine you have tried, it is now an established fact that German Syrup is the only remedy which has given complete satisfaction in severe cases of Lung Disease. It is true there are yet thousands of persons who are predisposed to Throat and Lung Affections, Consumption, Hemorrhages, Asthma, Severe Colds settled on the Breast, Pneumonia, Whooping Cough, &c., who have no personal knowledge of Boschee's German Syrup. To such we would say that 50,000 dozen were sold last year without one complaint. Consumptives, try just one bottle. Regular size 75 cents. Sold by all Druggists in America. *

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Cool calls attention to the beautiful alluminium-lined vulcanit-plates for upper and lower sets. The advantage of this work is that it is very thin, much stronger and lighter than the common plate usually worn; also, being a better conductor of heat and cold, it does not produce the iritation, sometimes caused by rubber or non-conducting substances. I make these sets for $35, something never before done, and guarantee my patrons that after once wearing one of them they will wear no other. The treatment of diseased teeth and fine operating I make a specialty. Teeth built up with pure gold to their natural contour; artificial crowns adjusted to roots in the best manner. Work of every description done anywhere I engage to do at the most reasonable prices *

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BROUGHTON ST., OPPOSITE COUNCIL CHAMBERS
CAN BE CONSULTED DAILY.

Of nearly 50 years' extensive practice in England, America, and Australia. He extracts polypus and cancer without the use of the knife when taken in time. Dr. James is the discoverer of a medicine which cures all LOCAL RHEUMATIC PAINS AS SOON AS APPLIED. DR. JAMES is in possession of medicines that never failed to stop and cure DIPTHERIA, SMALLPOX, CROUP and all FEVERS in a few hours. N. B.—Mrs. James, midwife of long experience and successful practice in this city, is open to engagement.

PEACE PROCLAIMED.—After ten years active warfare! I have been at war with my customers for ten long years, and I am now ready to DYE FOR THEM at reduced rates. Gents' clothes cleaned and repaired; faded curtains and clothing restored and made to appear as good as when new. Customers abroad will not have reason to grumble at prices if they send their articles to T. W. Pierre, tailor and dyer, Yates street, next door to Reynolds' butcher shop. Castoff clothing taken in exchange for work.

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superceded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort Street, and sold by all the principal dealers. *

RAFFLE FOR A HOMESTEAD.—Attention is called to the advertisement of a raffle for a home. A handsome building lot, 66x300 feet, situated on Pandora avenue, worth $1,250, to be had for $5. Tickets may be obtained at the principal places of business. *

IF heretofore you have been unable to wear a set of artificial teeth call on Dr. Cool. He will guarantee all his work *

HIGHEST CASH PRICE

—PAID FOR—
FURS AND DEER SKINS.

REMOVAL—THE BUSINESS OF J. BOSCOWITZ has been removed to Rowland's two-story brick building on Johnson street, south side, between Waddington Alley and Wharf street.
au27 GEO. PAPPENBERGER, Manager.

NOTICE.

TENDERS ARE INVITED AND WILL BE RECEIVED at this office up to Saturday, Noon, 28th inst., where a schedule of the goods required and form of contract to be signed can be seen, for supplying Race Rocks and Fraser River Light Stations with Provisions, &c., for 12 months from 1st of January next.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JAMES COOPER, Agent,
Department of Marine, &c.
Victoria, B.C., Dec. 11th, 1878. de12

NOTICES.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between J. W. Grace, J. F. Chapman and E. L. Marshall, under the style and title of E. L. Marshall & Co., as Saw-Mill owners, at Milton, W. T., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
The undersigned will not be accountable for business transacted, or debts contracted, in the name of the above firm from this date.
J. W. GRACE.
J. F. CHAPMAN.
Milton, W. T., December 4, 1878. de7dw

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT JAMES SHEPHERD and John Goodacre have entered into partnership, and will carry on business as butchers under the style of Shepherd, Goodacre & Company, in the premises on Yates street, opposite the Alhambra Hall.
JAMES SHEPHERD,
JOHN GOODACRE.
Victoria Nov. 7, 1878. no8

Insolvent Act of 1875 and Amending Acts.

In the matter of JOHN BENNETT, an Insolvent.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS BEEN ISSUED in this cause, and the Creditors are notified to meet at my office, Wharf street, Victoria, on Thursday, the 19th day of December, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs, and to appoint an Assignee if they see fit.
C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, November 20th, 1878. de5

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP WHICH HAS HERETOfore existed between Joseph Garnier and John Coigdarripe has this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the late partnership will hereafter be carried on by Joseph Garnier, at the Colonial Hotel, Johnson street, Victoria, on his own account, and he will receive all monies owing to and discharge all liabilities of the late firm.
Dated at Victoria, this Twelfth day of December, A. D. 1878.
JOSEPH GARNIER,
JOHN COIGDARRIPE.
Witness—Thos. H. Williams. de13

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S
(Ex Army Med. Staff),
CHLORODYNE

THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY GENUINE.

CAUTION.—Vice-Chancellor Sir W. P. Ward stated that DR. COLLIS BROWNE was undoubtedly the inventor of CHLORODYNE; that the story of the defendant, Freeman, being the inventor was deliberately untrue which he regretted had been sworn to. Eminent Hospital Physicians of London stated that Dr. J. Collis Browne was the discoverer of Chlorodyne; that they prescribe it largely and mean no other than Dr. Browne's.—See "Times," July 12, 1864.

The public, therefore, are cautioned against using any other than

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This INVALUABLE REMEDY produces quiet, refreshing sleep, relieves pain, calms the nervous system, restores the deranged functions and stimulates healthy action of the secretions of the body without creating any of those unpleasant results attending the use of opium. Old and young may take it at all hours and times when requisite. Thousands of persons testify to its marvelous good effects and wonderful cures, while medical men extol its virtues most extensively, using it extensively in the following diseases:

Diseases in which it is found eminently useful—Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Colics Coughs, Asthma, Cramp, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cough, Hysteria.

The Right Hon. Earl Russell communicated to the College of Physicians and J. T. Davenport that he had received information to the effect that the only remedy of any service in Cholera was Chlorodyne.—See "Lancet," Dec. 31, 1864.

From A. Montgomery, Esq., late inspector of Hospitals, Bombay: Chlorodyne is a most valuable remedy for Neuralgia, Asthma and Dysentery. To it I fairly owe my restoration to health after eighteen months severe suffering, and when other medicines had failed.

Dr. Lowe, Medical Missionary in India, reports (Dec., 1865,) that in nearly every case of Cholera in which Dr. Collis Browne's Chlorodyne was administered the patient recovered.

Extract from "Medical Times," Jan. 10, 1866.—Chlorodyne is prescribed by scores of orthodox remedial practioners. Of course it would not thus be singularly popular did it not supply a want and fill a place.

Extract from the general Board of Health, London, as to its efficacy in Cholera.—So strongly are we convinced of the immense value of this remedy, that we cannot too forcibly urge the necessity of adopting it in all cases.

Beware of spurious and dangerous compounds sold as CHLORODYNE, from which frequent fatal results have followed.

Sold in bottles at 1s 1½d, 2s 9d, 4s 6d, and 11s each

CAUTION.—None Genuine without the words "Dr. J. Collis Browne" on the Government stamp. Overwhelming medical testimony accompanies each bottle.

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G. R. FARDON—Secretary.

REGULATIONS:

Any person over 18 years of age and under 60, if in good health, may become a member on paying as follows:—From 18 years to 30, $3 per annum; from 30 years to 35, $4 per annum; from 35 years to 40, $5 per annum; from 40 years to 45, $7 per annum; from 45 years to 50, $10; from 50 years to 60, $15 per annum.

The annual payments to continue for five years when they will cease; but in addition to the above yearly payment ONE DOLLAR will be required from every member of the Society on the death of any member, and this subscription shall be continued during life.

BENEFIT:

The amount of Benefit will be governed by the number of members. Thus, if there are one thousand members, the nominee of a deceased member will receive one thousand dollars.

AVERAGE NUMBER OF DEATHS:

The number of deaths during nine years have averaged five per annum to the thousand members in a similar society at Petaluma, Cal., and according to the published reports of the Registrar in Victoria, the average has not exceeded that number.

PROFITS:

From the above average of deaths the following calculation is suggested:—

Subscription beginning at 40 years of age at $5 for 5 years	$25 00
Probable number of deaths in 5 years, 25, $1	25 00
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It seems only reasonable to suppose that within five years the Association will number at least one thousand members; but even a smaller number, it will be seen, will secure an important advantage in case of death.

For further information apply by letter to
G. R. FARDON,
Secretary of the Victoria
de20 Provident Association, Victoria.

SHIPS AND STEAMERS.

NOTICE.

THE STEAMER
"MAUDE"
Will leave for Nanaimo on MONDAY, Dec. 30th at 7 a. m., returning on Tuesday. de24

NOTICE.

BARQUE ANTIOCH, CAPT. SEYMORE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THIS VESSEL ARE required to be sent in triplicate to the undersigned on or before noon on Friday next the 27th inst.
Victoria, B. C., 23d December, 1878.
de24 WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

NOTICE.

THE STEAMER
"OLYMPIA,"
Will leave for New Westminster on Monday next, Dec. 23rd, at 9 a. m., returning on Tuesday.
And on Monday, December 30th, at 9 a. m., returning on Tuesday. de17

H. B. Co's Bark "Prince Rupert," from London.

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERsigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
For the Hudson Bay Co.,
W. CHARLES.
Victoria, B. C., Dec. 7, 1878. de8

CONSIGNEE NOTICE.

THE HUDSON BAY CO.'S BARK PRINCE Rupert, Capt. Main, will commence to discharge cargo at 7 a. m. on Tuesday the 10th Dec.
Consignees are requested to call at the Cashier's office of the company, pay freight, and receive orders for their goods. All goods left on the company's wharf at Victoria after five o'clock p. m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners.
For the Hudson Bay Co.
de10 WILLIAM CHARLES.

NOTICE.

TO SHIP OWNERS AND CAPTAINS

THE POWERFUL STEAM TUG
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Fitted with two 36-inch Cylinders, having been thoroughly overhauled and fitted with new boilers and other improvements, making her one of the most powerful and economical Tugs on this coast, is now prepared to tow vessels in B. C. waters.
For further information apply on board to Captain J. D. Warren at Dickson-Campbell's wharf.
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FOR LONDON DIRECT.

THE H. B. CO.'S BARQUE
"PRINCE RUPERT"
Will have quick dispatch for the above port, and has room for a limited quantity of freight.
For particulars apply at the Company's office. de10

FOR YALE & WAY PORTS TWICE A WEEK.

THE SPLENDID STEAMER
RELIANCE,
A. INSLEY, MASTER,
Will sail for Yale every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY Morning.
And returning will leave Yale every MONDAY and FRIDAY Morning, until further notice.
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CHANGE OF SAILING DAYS.

ON AND AFTER THE FIRST OF December prox. the steamer
ISABEL,
CARRYING H. M. MAILS, W. F. & CO.'S EXPRESS, PASSENGERS AND FREIGHT,
Will leave Victoria for Port Townsend at FIVE a. m. on Mondays and Thursdays, returning on the same days.
L. STARR.
Nov. 26th. no27

FOR CASSIAR AND SITKA MINES

THE MAIL STEAMSHIP
CALIFORNIA
CHARLES THORN, Master,
Having superior accommodation for passengers, will leave Victoria for Wrangel and Sitka on or about
MONDAY, DEC. 2ND, 1878.
Returning, will leave Victoria for Astoria, Portland (Oregon) on or about the 16th.
For Freight or Passage apply to
J. P. GOODHUE, Agent.
Office at P. McQuade & Sons. no20

NOTICE.

TO SHIPOWNERS AND CAPTAINS.

THE POWERFUL SCREW STEAM-TUG
"PILOT"
Will Tow Vessels in British Columbia waters at LOWEST RATES.
Apply to the Captain on board, or at the office of
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Wharf street.
Victoria, 21st June, 1878. je22tf

NOTICE.

BRITISH BARK "ETHEL," FROM LIVERPOOL.

NEITHER CAPT. GRAHAM, NOR THE UNDERsigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
WELCH, RITHET & CO.
Wharf St., Nov. 5, 1878. no6

BARQUE "ANTIOCH."

NEITHER CAPTAIN W. B. SEYMORE NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
Victoria, B. C., 3rd Dec., 1878.
de4 WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agents.

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HAS OPENED A
TAILOR'S SHOP
ON FORT STREET,

WHERE HE WILL BE HAPPY TO SEE HIS friends and the public in general.

CALL ON HIM, SELECT YOUR GOODS AND LEAVE YOUR ORDERS,

AND HE PLEDGES HIMSELF TO GIVE YOU SATISFACTION.
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HENRY SHORT,
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FORT STREET, OPPOSITE SCOTCH HOUSE,
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FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY.
Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-Loaders, and a Full Assortment of Gun Tackle.
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THEIR STOCK CONSISTS OF
CHINA RICE, TEA, SUGARS, OPIUM,
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DRY GOODS, LADIES' FANS AND CURIOS,
WHICH ARE IMPORTED DIRECT FROM CHINA.
Intending Purchasers will do well to give us a call before Purchasing Elsewhere.
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PURVEYORS TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR,
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MEATS OF THE CHOICEST QUALITY.
Customers Supplied at LOWEST RATES, and the Goods Delivered FREE OF CHARGE.
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Come ye citizens and strangers,
Miners, sailors and Western rangers,
Listen to the truthful story,
Of Frank Campbell of Victoria.
He in truthful words will tell you
Just the goods he has to sell you.
Mind ye now he isn't joking,
If you are fond of chewing and smoking,
Or if you are given to snuffing,
What he keeps does not need puffing.
He has brands will suit you really,
Tobacco users prize them dearly;
From all parts of the "Old Dominion"
He has stock, and his opinion
Is that none can suit you better
They will please you to the letter.
His Cigars, just from "Havana,"
Smoke in the most lovely manner;
Meerschaum pipes of style and fashion
Just to suit each taste and passion;
And it is in Canada stated,
His Tobaccos are celebrated;
Green Seal, Straight Cut, all go,
Big Lick, Big Cut, Wind Sap, also
All the Fine Cut Brands for chewing
That your teeth will never ruin;
Pipes to suit the inveterate smoker,
Cards for playing sinch or poker,
Pipes of briar and stems of cherry
More than any man can carry;
It would take a week to tell you
All the things he has to sell you.
While in town you may be stopping
At the "Adelphi Corner" drop in;
Campbell you'll find at that location
Ready to give you information,
Or to see you well provided,
With what is by all decided,
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The best and cheapest in Victoria.

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THE BEST GROCERIES,
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Call and Examine for yourselves at the
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de1 THOMAS NICHOLSON.

I. O. G. T.

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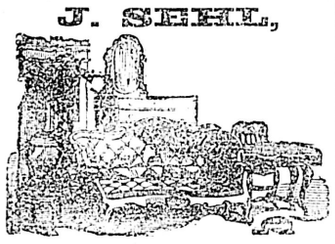

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ALL OF THE LATEST STYLES, AT PRICES LOWER THAN EVER FOR CASH.
Also, a large assortment of
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Goods delivered to any part of the City Free of Charge.
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On hand and made to order cheaper than can be imported.
CABINET WORK made to order and repaired.
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VALUE, $210.
100 CHANCES AT $250 EACH.
THE RAFFLE WILL TAKE PLACE AT
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HAVING LAID IN A LARGE STOCK OF AMmunition consisting of a choice
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The only First Class Hotel in the City.
SUITES OF ROOMS FOR FAMILIES.
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Daily Colonist.

SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 28TH, 1878.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange, is our authorised Agent in San Francisco.

HOW RESUMPTION IS TO BE EFFECTED.

The San Francisco *Newsletter* gives the following concise description of the method by which it is proposed to resume specie payment in the United States:—Secretary SHERMAN in his annual report, defines the method by which he proposes to effect resumption of specie payments after the first day of January, 1879. The plan adopted seems to be an excellent one, and its announcement has allayed apprehensions at the Eastern financial centres. If he is permitted to follow the course indicated—that is, if Congress accepts his interpretation of the Resumption Act—there can be no doubt but that the country will soon be upon a sound currency basis and the financial issue settled, for the present at least. It is designed to confine redemption of legal tender notes to the City of New York, to avoid the danger of an exhaustion of funds at any one point, and to guard against a combined effort to lock up gold. Notes are to be redeemed either in gold or standard silver dollars at the option of the Government, in sums of $50. Greenbacks are to be received in payment of customs duties. The redeemed notes will be paid out for all liabilities, including the interest on the public debt, if the bondholders do not object. The Government, however, reserves its right to demand coin for duties. The gold reserve, when reduced, is to be strengthed by the sale of bonds or the exchange of greenbacks at par. The issuance of gold certificates of deposit has been abandoned. The treasury has become a member of the New York Clearing House Association. All drafts on the treasury held by the banks will be paid to the Clearing House in United States notes, which are received by them as gold coin. In all the large cities the banks have determined to accept greenbacks at par after the 1st day of January. With these safeguards, it is not probable there will be any difficulty in effecting and maintaining resumption. The Treasury holds $141,388,100 in specie above all accrued coin liabilities, and the notes outstanding amount to $346,681,000—a reserve of 40 per cent. A very large proportion of this coin will probably be transferred from the Government vaults to the banks, as these have but little coin at the present time. When the banks have put themselves upon a specie basis, there will be no further drain under ordinary circumstances. With the paper money at par, individuals will have no reason to call on the Treasury for coin. It is difficult to foreshadow how strong will be the drain from the Treasury at first, but the banks will certainly have to speedily put themselves upon a specie basis as regards their entire liabilities, which amount to over $2,000,000,000. The supply of the precious metal is steadily increasing, as our imports of them now slightly exceed the exports, and the entire domestic production of $100,000,000 annually is retained. The present stock in the country is estimated by Superintendent Linderman at $360,000,000. Should the financial system require more, the balance of trade in our favor will facilitate importations of large amounts.

THE NEXT ROYAL MARRIAGE.

The marriage of His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught with Princess LOUISE of Prussia is to be solomnized at St. George's Chapel, Windsor, on the 7th of February. The ceremony is to be performed with much state and with great festivities. The Queen will take a prominent part in all the festivities. The royal bride is to be attended to the altar by eight bridesmaids, the daughters of two English dukes, of two marquises and of four earls—two being Scotch and two English. The Dukes are BEDFORD and MARLBOROUGH, the Marquises HEADFORT and CONYNGHAM, the Earls ERROL and ELGIN, BRADFORD and MOUNT-EDGCUMBE. The household of the future Duchess of Connaught, as was the case with that of the Duchess of Edinburg, is to be composed exclusively of English ladies. It is reported in Tory circles that the Prime Minister intends, at the first opportunity, to arrange for the Duke of Connaught and his bride to reside a great part of the year in Ireland. The Duke of Connaught is about to visit Berlin, for the last time previous to his marriage. His Royal Highness will reside at the Royal Palace, where the Princess FREDERICK CHARLES and her daughter are at present staying. During the Duke of Connaught's stay in Berlin the final arrangements respecting the marriage will be made. ANGELI, the Viennese painter, is now engaged upon a portrait of the Princess LOUISE MARGARETHA at Potsdam.

CITY SEWERAGE.

It is to be regretted the Municipal Council at the meeting held on Thursday last did not support Coun. TODD's motion to offer a premium of $250 for a set of plans for a system of drainage. The indifference with which councillors treat so important a subject is somewhat unaccountable, especially as during the summer months the lack of proper sewerage makes itself conspicuous in anything but an agreeable manner. Coun. TODD's resolution, it will be seen by reference to our report of the proceedings, failed to secure a seconder and as a matter of course fell to the ground. Why should this lethargy exist? The premium suggested is by no means exorbitant, nor is it contended that drainage of the city is unnecessary. The matter is one of great moment, not only from a sanitary point of view, but in connection with the value of real estate. We venture to assert that were the city properly drained the value of property would be higher, and a recurrence of endemics, such as have frequently occurred in the warm weather, would be rendered comparatively improbable. We are on the eve of a municipal election, and it is highly proper that candidates should be requested to declare themselves very clearly on a point which will have so much influence on the future of the city. A more thorough supervision than at present exists, of Chinese and Indian quarters within the city limits is also highly necessary. On this and many other subjects, to which we shall allude on a future occasion, aspirants for municipal honors should be pronounced.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

REQUISITION.

To J. H. TURNER, Esq.

SIR:—We the undersigned Ratepayers of Victoria request that you will allow yourself to be placed in nomination for Mayor for the ensuing term, and we undertake to support you if you will consent to serve.

R. Finlayson, Mayor	H. O. Tiedemann
N. Shakespeare,	J. Roland Hett
[illegible] McLean	Henry Gribble
Wm. Dalby	John Goodacre
J. H. Todd	R. W. Fawcett
Chas. E. Redfern	James Fell
E. B. Marvin	Clark H. Lambkin
J. W. Williams	John Stewart
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Wm. McKay	W. G. Bowman
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Wm. Wilson	Thomas Nicholson
A. Ofner	George Colman
John Parker	Rd Maynard
C. W. Kammerer	John Ash
L. Goodacre	F. Saunders, C.E., V.F.D.
Wm. Charles (H.B.Co)	Hy Cogan
Alex. Munro	A. A. Green
E. Grancini	G. G. Walker
J. E. McMillan	Andrew Rome
Edward Willson	Joseph Wilson
H. Waller	Fredk Norris
Geo. Morison	T. G. Moody
Fred. J. Morison	J. Huntington
Alex. B. Gray	John Vaughan
Thos. Basil Humphreys	Wm. C. Bryant
R. Roberts	Lyndon LeLievre
Wm Craft	Wm. Muldoon
T. N. Hibben	Wm. Field
H. L. Jones	Wm. Geo. Norris
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J Heywood	Wm. Spofford
M. W. Tyrwhitt Drake	J. M. Metcalf
J. Harrison	W. Koolman
Charles McK Smith	A. Beswick
Robert Wallace	F. J. Harding
B. W. Pearse	L. Blum
I. W. Powell	A. Gilmore
Alex. Wilson	H. Saunders
Wm. Harrison	Wm. Armstrong
Peter McQuade	Wm. Field
J. S. Helmcken	James Barnes
R. P. Rithet	R. Copeland
Edgar Marvin	— Haley
David Leneveu	John Wait
W. C. Ward	E. Whitley
M. W. Waitt	John Collis
Richd Carr	A Buler
J. McB. Smith	James Millar
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Thos. Earle	G. E. Smith
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I. Oppenheimer	P. McTiernan
J. C. Davie, M.D.	

REPLY.

VICTORIA, B. C., 27th Dec., 1878

To R. FINLAYSON, Esq., and the other Signers of the above,

GENTLEMEN:—I thank you for the requisition you have favored me with, and in reply beg to say that I am quite willing to allow myself to be nominated for Mayor of Victoria for the year 1879, and if elected will do my best to promote the welfare of our city.

I remain, Gentlemen,
Yours very respectfully,
de28 J. H. TURNER.

NOTICE.

THE STEAMER "MAUDE"

Will leave for Nanaimo on MONDAY, Dec. 30th at 7 a. m., returning on Tuesday. de24

NOTICE.

THE STEAMER "OLYMPIA,"

Will leave for New Westminster on Monday next, Dec. 23rd, at 9 a. m., returning on Tuesday.

And on Monday, December 30th, at 9 a.m., returning on Tuesday. de17

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CHURCH MISSION FUND.

A SALE OF

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WILL TAKE PLACE

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In the Collegiate School Room. de27

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I GOT IT AT THE

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The Island Market,

COR. OF JOHNSON & DOUGLAS STREET.

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THE HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

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600 PACKAGES

MUSCATEL RAISINS,

Which they offer for Sale in Lots to Suit.

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THE LATEST STYLES JUST RECEIVED

Will be sold at Reduced Rates.

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NEW GOODS!!
NEW GOODS!!!

SEVEN WEEKS FROM ENGLAND, ARRIVED PER "DAKOTA"

Black Cloth Jackets,
Ulsters,
Shawls,
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Black Cashmeres,
Black French Merinos,
Colored French Merinos,
Colored Plaids,
Baltic Flannels,
Black Alpacas,
Persian Cords,
Russell Cords,
Coma Cloth,
Black Crapes,

Artificial Flowers, Ribbons, &c., &c.

Corsets in variety, newest shapes, &c.
Girls' Cloth Costumes,
Ladies' and Children's Winter Hose, (large assortment)
Children's Cashmere Cloaks,
Black and Colored Kid Gloves,
60-inch Hambro Damask,
100-inch Black Linen Damask,
Quilts and Tablecloths,
Furniture Chintz, Diapers,
Double Warp and Twill Sheetings,
Rough Brown and Dressed Hollands,
Horrocks' and Crewdson's Cottons,
Lace Curtains,
Short Window Blinds.

A fine assortment Ladies' Felt, &c., Skirts. Tailors' Trimmings a Specialty.

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20 PER CENT. CHEAPER than can be had elsewhere.

ON HAND

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At invoice prices; also, the usual compliment of

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THE ENTIRE STOCK OF

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Now Is Your Time! de17

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FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de30 LD. LOWENBERG.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of W. G. REYNOLDS, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE LATE William George Reynolds, deceased, are notified to settle their accounts forthwith with the undersigned; and all persons having accounts against the Estate are notified to send the same to the undersigned forthwith.

Dated 2nd December, 1878.

W. POLLARD, Victoria,
de3 Executor's Solicitor.

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Turkies for Christmas and New Year.

SHOOTING FOR TURKIES WILL TAKE place at the "Star Shooting Gallery," DAILY, during the Afternoon and Evening

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Will be held on New Year's Eve for a

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The Cheapest House in town for

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The finest Apples, Oranges, Nuts, Sweets, &c., &c. to be had at W. TIPPINS', Fort street, next to Thos Gorrie's.

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THE BEST HAREWOOD COAL

SUITABLE FOR HOUSEHOLD PURPOSES,

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And other goods suitable for Christmas and New Year's Presents, all NEW STYLES,

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AND OTHER LATE ARRIVALS.

CHEESE—Canadian, very choice quality.
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JAMS, JELLIES, MARMALADE.

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Carpets & Rugs

OF THE BEST QUALITY AND LASTEST DESIGNS

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HAVE REMOVED TO

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

1878 CHRISTMAS. NEW YEAR, 1879.

LONDON MARKET,
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VICTORIA, B. C.

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LOOK OUT FOR OUR STALL FED BEEVES FROM NORTH DAIRY FARM, NEAR VICTORIA.

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FROM THE VALLEYS OF SEMILKAMEEN, NICOLA, OKANAGAN, &c., &c.

ALL BUNCH GRASS FED AND AFTERWARDS STALL FED AT NORTH DAIRY FARM,

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SAUSAGES MADE ACCORDING TO THE FAMOUS "OXFORD RECIPE,"

From Pure Grain Fed Pork.

NO TRIMMINGS, CUTTINGS, OR SMOKE-HOUSE REFUSE USED—ONLY THE BEST OF MEAT.

One trial will prove to the satisfaction of everyone that these are

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FOR FAT TURKIES AND GEESE

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WHO HAS A SPLENDID STOCK ON HAND Fed on

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All goods delivered promptly and free of charge.

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SHOT—All sizes, in 25 lb. bags.
GUNS—Double and Single Barrels.
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PRICE'S CANDLES.
LEA & PERRINS' Worcester Sauce.
BRYANT & MAY'S Matches.
SARDINES; Patent Groats.
CHICORY,
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— FOR SALE BY —

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☞ Goods offered at the LOWEST RATES FOR CASH by the old Pioneer Dealer,

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Offer the same

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50 COTSFORD YEWS IN LAMB.
1 Span of Horses, work double or single.
1 Good Saddle Horse, suitable for a lady.

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the late Emanuel Lawrence are requested to forward a certified statement of the same to the undersigned, by the 1st of February, 1879; and all parties indebted to the said Estate are requested to settle with the undersigned immediately.

ALEXANDER VANCE,
THOMAS WOODS, } Executors.

Victoria, November 14th, 1878. de22w

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Watches, Jewellery, Diamonds,

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DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE FROM Victoria Mr. JOHN COLLENS holds my power of attorney, and is authorized to transact all business in my name.

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Daily Colonist.

SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 28TH, 1878.

FAMILY MARKET REPORT.

SATURDAY MORNING, December 28.

BUTTER—Prime Island, 50c. ℔ lb; Roll, 37½c.; Canadian Tub, 30@35c; New grass Cal., 50c.

CHEESE—Canadian, 33½c.℔lb.; Harris', Maple Ridge, 25c.; Cala., 25c.; East. Cream, 30c.

EGGS—Island, 50c.℔doz.

CORNMEAL—62½c.℔sack of 10lbs.

FLOUR—Extra, $6 50 ℔ brl.

WHEAT—2¼c.℔lb.

BEANS—6c.℔lb.

SPLIT PEAS—12½c.℔lb

VEGETABLES—Potatoes, 1¼@1½c.℔lb; Squash 6c.e.; Cabbage, 1½c.℔lb; Turnips, 37½c.℔doz. bdls; Onions, 4c.℔lb; Carrots, 3 bchs. 12½c.; Radishes, 3 bunch. 12½c.; Cauliflower, 3 hd.25c; Sweet Potatoes, 4c. ℔ lb; Artichoke, 37½c.℔ doz.

BACON—Breakfast, Heywood's Gilt Edge, 20c.℔ lb; heavy sides, 16@18c.

HAMS—Home Cured, Heywood's, 20c.℔lb; Chicago: 20c.; Oregon, 17c; Shoulders, 12½c

LARD—Tub, 20c.℔lb; can, 25c.

FISH—Cod, 4@5c. ℔ lb; Salmon, 8 c. ℔ lb; Boneless Cod, 10c; Soles, 7@8c; Halibut, 8c; Yarmouth Bloaters, 25c. ℔ doz.; Salt Salmon, 12½c. ℔lb; Herring, 5c.; Trout, 12½c.; Smoked Oolachans and Salmon, 12½c.; Smelt, 6c.

CANNED SALMON—1lb tins, per doz., $2.

FRUIT—Lemons, 75c. ℔ doz.; Oranges, 75c. ℔ doz. Limes, 25c. ℔ doz.; Plums, 20c. ℔ lb; Pears, 6c.℔lb; Apples, 3@5c℔lb; Grapes, 12½c.℔lb.

DRIED APPLES—12½@15c.℔lb.

CANDIED FRUITS—Lemon, Citron and Orange, 75c.℔lb.

CURRANTS—Zante, 15@16c.℔lb.

RAISINS—English Layers, 33½c. ℔ lb.; Cala., 25c.; Sultana, Valencia and Eleme, 25c.

FIGS—New, 50c.℔lb.

MIXED SPICES—25c.℔ tin.

TEA & COFFEE—Coffee, ground, 50c. ℔ lb; green, 28c.℔lb; Tea, from 45c. to $1 25 ℔ lb.

NUTS—Eng. Walnuts, 25c. ℔ lb; Filberts, 25c.; Almonds—Paper Shell, 37½c.; Jordan, 75c.; Brazil, 25c.

ROLLED SPICED BEEF—12½c.℔lb.; Ox Tongues 75c. ea.

BEEF—Roasts, 12½c.℔lb; Soup, 4c.

MUTTON—10@12½c.℔lb.

PORK—12½c.℔lb; Tenderloins, 20c.

SAUSAGES—Cambridge, Oxford and Epping, 12½c. ℔lb.

VEAL—10@12½c.℔lb.; Sweetbreads, 50c.℔pair.

LAMB—12½c. ℔lb.

SUET—12½c.℔lb.

CHICKENS—50@62½c. ea.

TURKEYS—30c. ℔lb.

GEESE—Tame, $2 50 ea.; wild, 75c.@$1

WILD DUCK—37½@50c. ℔ pair; Tame, 75c.@$1 ea.

GROUSE—50c. ℔ brace.

RABBITS—Tame, 62½@75c. ea.

VENISON—Hind quarter, $1; fore quarter, 25c.

COAL OIL—$2 75 ℔ tin; ℔ case, $5 25.

BIRTHS.

In this city, on the 26th inst., the wife of Alan McCartney of a son, stillborn.

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

THE BRITISH COLONIST IS THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES. ITS VALUE AS A NEWS AND ADVERTISING MEDIUM IS THEREFORE APPARENT.

The Mayoralty.

In another column will be found a requisition to Coun. Turner asking that he will allow himself to be nominated for the Mayoralty at the ensuing municipal election. The requisition has been signed by leading citizens and Coun. Turner, doubtless assured of his election, has consented to become a candidate. It is improbable that he will be opposed, but the attention of those citizens who have pledged themselves to support him is directed to the fact that his past policy as a member of the Council has been diametrically opposed to that of several councillors who carried things with a high hand and who offer themselves for re-election. It will be futile for a majority of the rate-payers to place Mr. Turner in the civic chair and then elect in the wards councillors with whom he has been unable to agree in the past and with whom he would find it impossible to work harmoniously in the future.

ESQUIMALT CHURCH.—It is with pleasure we announce that two of the Church windows of St. Paul's Church, Esquimalt, are about to be filled with stained glass. One has been given by Mr. Henry Holbrook, the respected Mayor of New Westminster, in memory of Mr. Frederick Seymour, late Governor of British Columbia, who lies buried in Esquimalt Churchyard. The other will be in memory of Sir James Douglas, K.C.B., to whom this Province is so greatly indebted for its present prominent position and prosperity. The windows are to be executed by the world-known firm of Clayton & Bell, Regent street, London, who will no doubt give to Vancouver Island fine examples of their skill.

MANITOBA.—The questions demanding the attention of the Manitoba Legisture comprise the development of the Province by railways and the reclamation of the waste lands by a system of drainage. A watchful supervision is to be exercised over the legislation, granting charters to none but *bona fide* companies possessed of capital sufficient to warrant the completion of branch railways within a reasonable time. The enlargement of the boundaries of the Province is another question which is being agitated there, and already hints are freely thrown out that an increased annual subsidy will be required.

THE steamer Olympia left at 8 a.m. yesterday for New Westminster with the mails and the following passengers: Mrs. Robertson, Miss Wilkie, Mrs. Langley, Miss Cooper, Mrs. Morrison, Miss Polly, Miss Caldwell, Miss Mahood, Miss Cadwallader, Supt. C. Todd, Messrs. H. Holbrook, W. Laidlaw, Cadwallader, J. H. Todd, Curran, J. C. Deas, Lathbury, W. Lange, J. Irving, J. Laidlaw, J. Mann, Robertson, Shaw, Seward, Fulton, J. McLellan and several others.

JUST RECEIVED---NOVELTIES IN DRESS FABRICS, LACE AND LINEN SETS, CUFFS, COLLARS, SILK SCARFS, FLOWERS, FURS, UMBRELLAS, FANCY WOOL WORK, FRINGES AND MARIBOUT TRIMMINGS, BUTTONS IN GREAT VARIETY, BOYS' SUITS, MILLINERY IN ALL THE LATEST STYLES, AND A VERY CHOICE LINE IN LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR, AT VERY ATTRACTIVE PRICES.---SHEARS & PARTRIDGE, LONDON HOUSE.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—One English mahogany bagatelle table, rubber cushions, marble bed, cues, rack, balls, and scorer complete. Original cost, $250; Metcalfe, Manchester, maker. Apply at the I.X.L. furniture-ware rooms, St. George building, Government street.
* R. HAGGERTY.

DANGEROUS. — The fence which runs along the sidewalk crossing the ravine on Douglas street, between Johnson and Pandora, is in a dangerous condition, the top railing having been removed from a portion of it.

THE steamship Alaska arrived at San Francisco on Tuesday last after a very pleasant passage.

POOL SHOOTING TO-NIGHT AT THE STAR SHOOTING GALLERY, THEATRE BUILDING, GOVERNMENT STREET, FROM 7 O'CLOCK.

Nanaimo.

[Free Press.]

The steamer Woodside arrived from Victoria on Monday morning with a party of gentlemen who intend to locate a marble claim on Texada Island. The steamer, after taking on board some lumber from the Nanaimo Saw Mill, sailed at 10 o'clock the same morning for Texada. A few days ago Coun. Nightingale returned from Texada, where he located a marble claim adjoining the one lately opened by Capt. Sturt and San Francisco capitalists. It is said that there is any quantity of marble, fully equal to the Italian, on that Island, and from all appearances it would seem that it is beginning to attract considerable attention.

The foundation has been laid for a new hotel on Commercial street for Mrs. E. Gough, in place of the one destroyed in the fire of April last. The building will be about the same dimensions as the one destroyed, and Messrs. Fletcher & Thames, the contractors, are now busily engaged in preparing the frame.

Tenders are invited up to the 31st inst. by Mr. Prior, Government agent, for the supply of meats, vegetables, groceries and bread to the Nanaimo Jail for the ensuing year.

The ship Blue Jacket, in tow of the steamer Tacoma, sailed from Departure Bay on Sunday morning with a cargo of Wellington coal for San Francisco. The ship Marianne Nottebohm completed her chargo of 1740 tons of coal for the Vancouver Coal Company's wharves yesterday. She is destined for San Francisco.

The late concert in aid of the Nanaimo Hospital netted $118.12½—a very handsome sum.

Tenders are invited up to Monday next for auditing the corporation accounts for the year 1878.

Municipal Police Court.

[Before H. C. Courtney, Esq.]

FRIDAY, Dec. 27, 1878.

Bob, a Bella Bella Indian, charged with stealing Ah Pow's hat, was sentenced to one month's imprisonment with hard labor.

Johnny Carroll, charged with aiding and abetting Bob in stealing Ah Pow's hat, was sentenced to seven days' imprisonment on half allowance.

Charles Wainright, charged with being a vagrant, was discharged.

Joe, a Hydah Indian, charged with throwing stones and making a row, was fined $7.50 or one month's imprisonment with hard labor.

Wanted.

All persons suffering from diseases which have been pronounced incurable by other physicians, or who have been receiving treatment from private practitioners, or using other advertised medicines for diseases of the lungs, liver, and stomach, without obtaining relief, to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Pleasant Purgative Pellets, which have restored hundreds of cases that have been pronounced incurable. Also, all ladies suffering from uterine weakness and disease, who have been subjected to the barbarous use of mechanical contrivances and torturous operations, without obtaining any permanent relief, to use Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which imparts vigor and tone to the diseased parts, restoring the *natural supporters*—the uterine muscles—to their normal vigor and strength. *

INTERESTING LECTURE.—Attention is again directed to the fact that the Very Rev. Dean Mason will deliver a lecture on Monday evening next at Mechanics' Institute Hall, Fort street. The reverend gentleman has selected for his subject "The Genius of Shakespeare," which he will illustrate with scenes from the tragedy of Hamlet. The proceeds of the lecture will be devoted to charitable objects and as the price of admission is only 50 cents it is expected the hall will be crowded.

PUBLIC SCHOOL EXAMINATION.—The semi-annual public school examination was held in the Denman Island school house on Dec. 20th, as by-law required. There were 13 pupils present who were examined in spelling, reading, writing, English grammar, geography, arithmetic, recitations, etc. The trustees being present, took part in the examination, and expressed themselves well pleased with the progress the children have made in the last six months.

THE steamer Maude arrived at 5.15 p. m. yesterday from the east coast with the following passengers: Mr. and Mrs. C. Prevost, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Thomas, Miss Stark, Miss Alexander, Miss Gwynne, Miss J. Dickenson, 2 Sisters of St. Ann's, Messrs. J. P. Davies, D. Cluness, Hon. A. Bunster, Prof. Sharkey, Dr. Busby, D. Mills, W. Meacham.

IN the matter of the imprisoned Glasgow Bank directors an application was lately made of a somewhat romantic character. Miss Taylor, daughter of Mr. William Taylor, waited on the Lord-Advocate and begged to be allowed to take her father's place in prison until the trial. Of course the request, though very kindly heard, could not be practically entertained.

KOOTENAY.—Advices of a private character state that affairs in this section of the country are lamentably dull, and that the white population of the district does not exceed thirty. Mr. Galbraith, M.P.P., who has been in ill-health for some time past has taken a trip to California where he will receive medical treatment.

MARINE.—The barque Castle Holmes arrived yesterday in ballast from Shanghai and will load with lumber at the Hastings Mill, B.I. The steamer Otter yesterday towed the barque Prince Rupert round to Esquimalt, where she will discharge naval store and finish loading for London.

POSTPONEMENT.—The square English tussle with the dummies for the horse Coomassie, has been postponed for a few days. Due notice will be given when the event is to come off. *

LITERATURE.—Messrs. M. W. Waitt & Co. have sent us a copy of Wm. Black's new novel, "Macleod of Dare." The work, which is profusely illustrated, is one of the best of the author's many literary productions.

MUNICIPAL TAXES.—We would remind ratepayers that unless they pay up their Municipal Taxes by the 31st December they will not be entiled to vote for Mayor or Councillors at the ensuing election. *

FOR PORTLAND.—The steamer California will arrive today at Esquimalt from Burrard Inlet and will leave again shortly after for Portland.

FOR VICTORIA.—The steamship Empire will leave San Francisco to day for this port.

Cariboo News.

From a private letter dated Barkerville, Dec. 14th, we have been permitted to make the following extracts. Says the writer: "Nothing but a concentrated effort in one direction will demonstrate whether we have paying quartz mines or not. The Proserpine Co. will come nearer succeeding than any other, as a great deal of the stock is held in small quantities and if the shareholders will only pay their assessments they can make a success of it. Everything connected with this company is in good shape and the work is being done with the greatest regard for economy, the foreman being the largest shareholder in the company and a thoroughly trustworthy man. The Perseverance Co.'s claim is looking well."

ST. JOSEPHS BAZAAR.—The raffle for the articles remaining unsold at this bazaar took place last evening at the Pavillion Rink, and was largely attended; all the articles were sold.

ANOTHER CANDIDATE.—Mr. T. S. Bone will be a candidate to represent Yates street ward in the City Council.

DOWN AGAIN.—The telegraph wires were down again nearly all of yesterday.

Victoria Provident Association.

EDITOR COLONIST:—In reply to the note signed "Observer" relative to the Victoria Provident Association, I beg to refer him to the 4th regulation, which will inform him how the reserve fund will be posposed of. It stands as follows:

"The annual subscription shall form a reserve fund from which shall be paid the expenses of management; any surplus to be placed on mortgage, the interest arising therefrom to be credited to those members who shall have paid their subscriptions during five years, and if, at any time, the reserve fund exceed twenty-five thousand dollars, such excess shall also be divided equally amongst the members of five years' standing."

I may add that the expenses of management will be entirely under the control of the directors, whose names are a guarantee that extravagance will not be permitted.

Yours, respectfully,
G. R. FARDON, Sec'ty.

VICTORIA, Dec. 26, 1878.

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

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Morning Dispatch.

EUROPE.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—The Earl of Carnarvon was married to-day at Greystoke, Cumberland, to Miss Howard of Greystoke Castle.

PARIS, Dec. 27. — The reported drowning of forty-eight children at Chapelle Mouche is a canard.

VIENNA, Dec. 27.—Macedonian insurgents are rallying, means and resources being supplied them from Bulgaria.

INDIA.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—A correspondent at Kuram says an Afghan soldier in the British service was hanged for firing toward his countrymen in the advance on Peiwar Pass. Eighteen others were sentenced to terms from 10 to 14 years' penal servitude for desertion.

A correspondent at Kuram says a proclamation of the Ameer of Afghanistan has been discovered, dated Nov. 11. It shows he had declared holy war against Britain.

IT is related of one of Scotland's greatest poets that his appetite for liquor grew so strong upon him as to be utterly irresistible. On one occasion he stated to a friend that if he were placed in a room with a keg of rum in one corner and a loaded cannon in the other, and warned that his approach to the former would be the signal for the cannon to be fired at him, he would have no choice but to go to the rum. A story comes from Sacramento which furnishes a parrallel to this case, and a confirmation of the poet's word as well, for the victim faced the same contingency and died. Warned by a touch of *delirium tremens*, says the story, that he had carried his drinking altogether too far, the slave to a depraved appetite resolved to reform or die. He declared his purpose to several friends, locked himself in his room, seated himself in an easy chair, and put a loaded pistol on the table within reach. The craving for alcohol grew stronger and stronger, and at last, unable to resist his thirst, he shot himself though the heart.

London Bazaar.

Electro Plated Ware,
Cutlery,
Lamps and Lanterns,
Selling at greatly Reduced Prices.
Cheap Mirrors and Pictures. *

REMOVAL. — Mr. Jungerman, watchmaker and jeweller, will remove to the new brick building on the corner of Government and Bastion streets on or about the 10th inst. Mr. Jungerman has added largely to his stock which now presents increased inducements for the patronage of his customers and the general public. *

JOTTINGS.—The year of 1879 promises to be an eventful one in the history of this Province. Important public works are to be carried out, and other enterprises are fostered for future development. This is positive, because our newly elected statesmen have pledged themselves, and that is sufficient, (you know). What more appropriate place to jot them down as they occur than in one of the many kinds of diaries to be found at the head of Bastion street.
* T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

PIANO FORTES AND ORGANS.—A splendid assortment now on exhibition at M. W. Waitt & Co's., Government street. *

FOR BON BONS in every variety go to FELL'S, Fort street. *

Canadian Mail.

[Per steamer Isabel.]

MONTREAL, Dec. 12.—The Princess Louise has consented to become patroness of the Protestant Infants' Home.

To-morrow is the date fixed for the execution of John Costafloraz, the murderer of Matthew Matheson. He has lately written pathetic appeals to Messers. Schwob, Jewellers, of Montreal, with whom he had been employed begging them to use their influence for him at Ottawa. One of the members of the firm is in Ottawa at present interceding for him, but Sheriff Nolan has received instructions from the Minister of Justice that the law must take its course.

The Quebec Conservatives are bringing all possible influence io bear on Sir John A. Macdonald to induce him to move for Mr. Letellier's dismissal, thus expressing their fear that their astute leader may prefer to take better advice, and also exhibiting to what an extent they are influenced by party feeling. Besides the charges formulated against the Lieut.-Governor by Mr. Angers in his memorandum to the Dominion authorities, the fact is established that all the French Conservative members of the Province have signed a petition, which has been forwarded to Ottawa, calling for Hon. Mr. Letellier's dismissal. Hon. Thos. McGreevy refused to sign the document. Those who affect to believe that the Lieut.-Governor will be removed allege that in all probability Judge Ramsay, of Montreal, or some other English-speaking Judge will be his successor.

OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—It is rumored that the Mayors of Halifax and Montreal, Hon. Mr. Wilmot, Hon. Mr. Anglin, and several members of the Cabinet will be knighted on the opening of the Dominion Parliament. The Mayor of Toronto is also mentioned; but why he should be knighted more than the Mayor of Hamilton is not stated. The expense of the reception of the Vice-Regal party, including the municipal expenditure at Halifax, Montreal and Ottawa, has been estimated at $50,000.

Mr. DeBoucherville, ex-Premier of Quebec, will probably be called to the Senate, *vice* Mr. Lacoste, deceased.

WINNIPEG, Man., Dec. 12.—At the Provincial nominations yesterday, so far as heard from, eight have been elected by acclamation. Of these the *Free Press* claims seven as Government supporters. Hon. Mr. Royal, Minister of Public Works, and Hon. Mr. Brown, the Provincial Secretary, are amongst those elected.

At St. Agathe Mr. Talloner, who was elected by acclamation, was shot, and a priest was carried off. The details have not yet been received, but Mr. Talloner is reported to be not dangerously wounded.

HALIFAX, Dec. 7.—The general elections in Newfoundland have resulted in the Government being sustained.

The Newfoundland northern whale fishery of this year has turned out to be almost a complete failure.

TORONTO, Dec. 7.—Counterfeit ten-dollar bills on the Bank of Ontario are in circulation. They are greasy and are easily detected by the absence of the imprint of the British American Bank Note Co., Montreal and Ottawa.

The Grand Jury made their presentment at the County Court this morning. The principle subject touched upon was the giving of a plug of tobacco every week to each prisoner in the Central Prison. The jury condemned this practice, and Judge Boyd said it was the first time he had heard of it and would take care the jury representation was laid before the Government.

English Mail.

The following is a description of the Rapieff electric light, as used in the *Times* office. The light is produced from two pairs of carbons placed one above the other. The upper pair are V shaped, and the lower like an inverted V, the point of ignition being the junction of the two pairs. The carbons are kept in contact by a combination of the weight of the cord and pulley. The upper pair of carbons are positive; the lower pair negative. The upper pair of carbons will burn twelve hours, and can be renewed without the slighest interruption of the light. Six distinct lights are suspended in the large machine room, each enclosed in an opaque globe working separately, the electricity being generated by a two horse-power Gramme, capable if necessary of working up to twenty-lights. The illumination was exceedingly brilliant, producing a striking contrast with the gas left burning in the room. The light is not yet applied to the composing-room, but preparations are being made to adapt it there in a way to obviate all chance of injury to the compositor's eyes. The current is alternating, so as to equalize the consumption of the two sets of carbon.

Sir Henry Horatio Wraxall, Baronet, was tried on Oct. 29 before the Recorder of London, for unlawfully conspiring with George Crowley to obtain money by false pretences, and with intent to defraud. These men of enterprise advertised:—"South Africa.—Wanted—Several respectable, energetic experienced young men as managers and assistants in the drapery, hardware, boot, drug spirits, crockery, clothing, grocery, and implement departments of new stores to be opened by a large trading company, &c. Good salaries and passage paid. Hundreds of applications came, and on their receipt a form of application was sent, and a guinea demanded as a guarantee that the applicant would fill the situation to which he was nominated. The thing was a fraud from beginning to end, and they further obtained offices by fraudulent mispresentation. Twelve months' imprisonment is the sentence.

"A Bedfordshire Farmer" writes to to the *Times* complaining that though the importation of American cattle, coupled with the lessened demand in the manufacturing districts, has caused a serious fall in the price of fat bullocks during the last three months, so far as he knows the butchers have made no reduction in the price of beef. "If we are to be outdone by America (he continues) with regard to meat as well as wheat, pray let the consumer reap the benefit in the one case as in the other. A reduction of 1d. per pound should be at once asked for."

The depression of trade is beginning

[Per Steamer Isabel.]

There is every probability of Horsemonger-lane Gaol being very shortly demolished, and that the site will before long be covered with residential buildings of a varied class. The site is said to cover an area of about ten acres.

One of the shortest wills ever known has just been proved in the Lewes Probate Court. It contains only nine words, and is to the following effect:—"Mrs.—— is to have all when I die."

Mr. Parnell, M. P., has received from the New York Fenians an offer of assistance in his Irish policy. Mr. J. E. M'Carthy, M. P., has announced his adhesion to the Butt party, and his repudiation of obstruction.

Mr. Spurgeon will not perform the ceremony of marriage for any of his church members if they marry a person who is not also in membership with a church.

The Mission of Electricity.

That electricity is destined to be the great natural auxiliary of man in the future there can no longer be any doubt. Every day gives birth to some new discovery or adaptation of the mystic current's wonderful powers. Comparatively a few years ago it first came into general use in the telegraph, when, spreading its long arms over the dry land, it filled every country with wonder and delight. Then it dived into the ocean, and whispered under the water from hemisphere to hemisphere, uniting the continents with a thread, and enveloping the globe in its slender meshes, as a baloon is inclosed in its silken network. It annihilated space and time; it drew the remotest corners of the earth close together, and at length made one community of all mankind. For many years this was all the important and practical service that we called upon our newly-found giant to perform. But as we became better acquainted with his hidden powers we compelled him to exercise them at our bidding. His unheard whispers were transformed into actual speech, and the telephone sprang into existence; yet so quickly do we come to regard as matter-of-course that which we should have once thought a miracle, that the telephone, like the telegraph, has ceased to become a wonder. But other marvels followed in quick succession, until now we have lost all awe of our mighty servant and have turned him into a man-of-all-work. The time has not quite come when the traditional old woman at the railway station might really see her forgotton parcel coming along the wires; but the mysterious prestige of our magician was lowered when he consented to transmit photographs, maps, and autographs, and since we have converted him into a domestic drudge, he has lost in dignity as he has gained in usefulness. He rings our bells, tells us the time, and performs a multitude of other odd jobs, and now he is to furnish our streets and houses with light. Doubtless, before long he will brush our boots, and cook our breakfast, and possibly edit our newspapers. But incalculably useful as this factotum called Electricity is, he is an agent to be dreaded in some respects. He is a great enemy of labor, for he works for starvation wages, and can accomplish in a twinkling and with consummate ease that which, before his advent, cost money, time, and exertion. When he undertakes a new duty, all those who before made a living in that particular line must seek some other occupation, for his method involves a radical change; he brooks no rival, and can accomplish single-handed the work of a thousand. When he stretched across the plains the ponies of the Overland Express and those who rode them were out of employment in a jiffy. When he shall transmit the power of rivers and cataracts to all the factories in the world, what will the colliers do? When he gives us light rivaling the sun, what will the gas shares be? He consumes nothing, he gives his service for a trifle, he defies all competition, and he abhors manual labor. He is a more dangerous foe to the working classes than John Chinaman. Why is he not denounced at the sand lots as a "lecherous and hoary-headed vampire?"—*San Francisco Newsletter.*

Ways of Getting a Living in New York.

There are many ways of getting a living in a great city which one would never think of if one did not see them announced by placards and sign-boards. It is curious to walk the streets in certain quarters and read the announcements over shop-doors and in shop-windows. Far up town is an old-fashioned, tumble-down wooden house for the sale of pet animals, and a sign informs the public that "sick dogs are medically attended by the week or month." A bird-fancier in Broadway apprises his patrons that he takes "birds to board." In a cross street on the East Side we learn where "dogs' ears and tails are cut in the latest fashion." An out-of-the-way tradesman advertises that he buys "cigar-stumps at the highest market price." An eccentric person in the same neighborhood "educates cross dogs to be gentle and well behaved." "Ladies' and gentlemen's feet and hands are professionally and artistically treated by the job or season," in an upper apartment not far from Broadway. "Young ladies' are invited to "come in and learn the name and calling of their husbands," in a neighborhood that looks anything but reputable. "Round-shouldered persons made straight" is another announcement in the Bowery, and in the same thoroughfare "perfect grace is taught in twelve lessons, and satisfaction guaranteed." "Sore eyes in poodles effectually cured" is a bit of valuable information that comes from East Broadway. "Ladies deficient in wardrobe are fashionably dressed very cheap by the month or year," in Catherine Street; and in Division Street "babies or children are hired or exchanged." In Sixth Avenue, "first-class funerals are thoroughly equipped," and not far from Tompkins Square "country theatres are supplied with every necessary." "False noses as good as new and warranted to fit," reads a placard in a region where it is probably the fate of residents to have their noses bitten off during amiable discussions with their neighbors. "Marriage certificates are furnished at once" in Elizabeth Street, and in Rivington Street "black eyes are painted over neatly." In various places "dress coats are furnished at reasonable rates," and "trustworthy information given as to lucky lottery tickets." If one-half of all the announcements made were true, no woman in New York would need to be other than graceful, beautiful and accomplished, possessed of fortune and happiness, and every man might be rich, gifted, healthy, vigorous, celebrated and imperishable. What a new paradise Manhattan would be, if advertisements could be strictly depended on!—*New York Herald.*

Thirty Thousand Pounds of Christmas Meats

At Queen's Market, Government Street, corner of Johnson.

The largest and finest assortment of Meats ever exhibited on the Pacific Coast. This assertion is made with the knowledge that it will be the universal opinion upon inspection.

MESSRS. GOODACRE & DOOLEY take much pleasure in informing their numerous Customers and the Public generally, that they will display their Large and Superior Stock of Christmas Meats to-morrow (Monday), respectfully soliciting the Orders of all who intend supplying their Tables with the best the market affords. *

REALLY MAGNIFICENT.—The best Stock of Furniture ever imported into the Province is now offered for sale at unprecedently low figures at the Furniture Warerooms, St. George building. It comprises prize Bedroom Sets, Parlor Suits upholstered in hair cloth, woolen, rep., satin, &c., &c. Turkish and Easy Chairs; inlaid Centre Tables, a specialty; East Lake Pillar Extension Tables; Card and Marble Top Tables, something new; Marble Top Sideboards; Cheffioniers, Secretaries and Ladies' Walnut Writing Desks; Mirrors; very superior Top and Clipper Spring Mattresses; single, ⅔ and full size Walnut Bedsteads; Mission Blankets, which were awarded the first gold premium at the Philadelphia Centennial Exhibition; Walnut Chairs and Rockers, bar-room wood seat chairs, children's high and low seat seat chairs. All must be seen to be appreciated. Be in time to witness the slaughter.
*. R. HAGGERTY.

STRUCK A LEAD!—This, in common mining parlance, is encouraging and gives a fresh impetus to gold digging. Our application of the phase is somewhat similar, although we hope that our old, respected leads may never cease to yield; but as it is refreshing to look upon new scenes so it is to see the recent issues of new publishers, with many new features, both in text, binding and illustrations, which are quite new to this Province and are so appropriate for the holidays.
* T. N. HIBBEN & Co.

YESTERDAY whilst walking round to see the various stores and the good things in them we noticed in particular at PARKER'S MARKET two hind quarters of Beef marked, "RAISED AND FED BY J. GREAVES, NICOLA VALLEY." We are sure that such Beef cannot be equalled in any part of the world. The size is not extraordinary, but the enormous amount of Fat and Flesh on them, with so little bone, is a thing to be astonished at. The quarters can be seen to-day by any one passing and they are worth any one's going that far to see them. *

ONCE MORE IN THE FIELD.—A grand display of furniture will take place at R. Haggerty's sales rooms, St. Nicholas Building, on Monday morning, when the best assortment of goods ever imported into the Province will be on view. The attention of the ladies of Victoria is especially requested to the prize bed room sets, and to a lot of Mission blankets from the celebrated Mission factory at San Francisco which were awarded a prize at the Philadelphia Centennial Exhibition. *

DURING the holiday season express and mails for Cariboo and way places will close on Saturday evenings, to connect with canoes when the up river steamer is hauled off; and on and after January 7th, on Monday evening. *

PROROGUED.—The Dominion Parliament has been further prorogued until the 31st inst.

TURKEY AND GOOSE Shooting at Swan Lake on New Year's day at 2 o'clock p.m. and a Ball in the evening. *

TRY THE MAGIC SOAP STONE POLISH for cleaning silver, brass, copper, windows, etc. For sale by D. & P. Davies, sole agents for British Columbia. *

THE finest selection of Christmas Fruits now on view at FELL & Co.'s, on Fort street. *

FELL & Co. would respectfully call the attention of connoisseurs to their present stock of Choice Wines and Liquors. *

J. BAGNALL, Pianoforte and Organ tuner and repairer, Government street, Victoria, 27 years' experience. *

JUST RECEIVED AT LONDON HOUSE.---BLK. CLOTH JACKETS, TWEED ULSTERS, FUR JACKETS, FUR SETS, WOOL GOODS, HATS, FEATHERS, FLOWERS, &C., &C.
SHEARS & ARTRIDGE.

TURKEY SHOOTING will take place at the Star Gallery, adjoining Theatre Royal this afternoon and evening. *

FINE new Figs, Grapes and Pop Corn at Fell's by last steamer. *

CUSTOM House Blanks for sale in any quantity at this office.

NOTICE.

A large lot of Men's and Boys' Ulsters to be sold very cheap at the Commission Store on Johnson street. Men sand boys' suits and gent's furnishing goods, hats, caps, boots and shoes, rubber coats, Capeann oilskin suits, heavy cloths and tweeds, waterproof cloth and Oregon flannels. The above goods will be sold at a very small advance on cost. Garments made to order at a low figure. *
A. GILMORE.

LIVERPOOL MARKET, YATES STREET.—SHEPPARD, GOODACRE & Co.—One hundred and thirty thousand pounds show of Xmas meats has been pronounced by ALL COMPETENT judges to-day as the
CHOICEST, RICHEST AND BEST FED MEAT
on exhibition in this city.

The whethers from Mr. S. Norris' farm have been pronounced the best ever exhibited in any Victoria market; the roasting pigs from R. Wilkinson's Dairy Farm the most succulent; and the beef from Messrs. Greaves & Beak's farm the juiciest.

All are invited to call and give an order who really want something on their Xmas dinner table which will satisfy the Old Country ideas of a merry Xmas dinner, intimately associated as they are with the quality of viands set forth to grace the Xmas table.

TURKEYS, GEESE, RABBITS, ETC.,
All guaranteed to give satisfaction, and the
LORNE SAUSAGES
to garnish the turkeys withal are a choice speciality.

N. B.—All who favor the Liverpool Market with an order may rely upon having their own choice delivered to them.
Victoria, Dec. 23rd, 1878. *

London Bazaar.

Violins, Concertinas, Accordeons, Flutes and Fifes selling at cost.

Cheap Crockery and Glassware. *

MOST EXTRAORDINARY. — Full size Spring Mattresses, $12. Walnut-extension Tables from $11.50 up; Bedroom Sets complete from $38 up; Mission Prize Family Blankets from $10 a pair up. All goods direct from the best Manufacturers; must make room for 150 tons of Furniture ordered. R. HAGGERTY. *

HOWARD'S NOVELTY SHOW.—All who want a good laugh should go and see the Royal Punch and Judy Family, direct from London, and Bismarck, the Educated Pig. Behold the monster Boa Constructor; the great Egyptian Mystery; the monster living Aligator; the moving Panorama; a Trip Round the World, &c., &c.; the Parlor Menagerie, all on exhibition to-night and during Christmas week on Government street, next to the Hook and Ladder Engine House. Admission 25 cents. DON'T FAIL TO PAY THE SHOW A VISIT. *

LANGE does not blow about having the largest stock of Jewelry in the City. He leaves that for others to judge; but one thing he does say is that he has nothing but the latest styles and of the best quality, for which he asks 30 per cent. less than others. *

AS YOU GO along Government street compare the different show windows and see if LANGE does not surpass them all in price and style. *

LADIES' AND MISSES' BLACK CLOTH PALETOTS AND ULSTERS. A FURTHER SUPPLY JUST RECEIVED EX DAKOTA BY
THOS. WILSON & Co.
*Dec. 25th. Masonic Hall Building.

FINE New Nuts at FELL & Co.'s, Fort street. *

AUCTION SALES.

Auction Sale.

The undersigned will sell at their Auction Rooms, Yates street,

On Monday next, 30th Dec.,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

TO CLOSE BALANCES.

Pickles in quarts and pints, Vinegar in cases, Porter in cases, Champagne in pints and quarts (Eugene Cliquot, Carte Blanch and other favorite brands), Sherry, Port Wine in quarter-casks, Blue Mottled, Toilet and other Soaps, Coal Oil Lamp (new), Rubber Boots (children's Misses' & Ladies' sizes), Plated Cruet Stands with cut glass bottles. Large Mirrors, Choice Pictures, Opera Glasses, Gold Watch and Chain, Platedware, Furnitnre and a miscellaneous lot of goods, Double Harness, Farm Wagon, Sponges, Brushes of all descriptions, Carpet Brooms, 2 kgs Butter, Paint in 28lb tins, assorted Paints of all colors in from 1lb to 4lb tins. One first-class Harmonium, a Level, Tripod and Rod, a quantity of Cigars, Stoves (new and old.)

— ALSO —

Breakfast Shawls, Hyde Park Wool Shawls, Ladies' Embroidered Drawers, Russel Cord Dresses, Opera Cloaks, White Blankets, Japanese Sleeve Buttons, Necklaces, Singer Sewing Machine, Breech-loading Rifles, Shotguns, Revolvers, Hunting Knives, Pocket Compasses.

W. R. CLARKE & CO.,
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JUST RECEIVED A FINE SELECTION OF
BRUSSELS, TAPESTRY, KIDDER AND

Felt Carpets,

FLOOR OILCLOTH,
HEARTH RUGS, DOOR MATS, ETC.
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de10 CORNER OF YATES AND BROAD STREETS.

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— FOR THE —

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TICKETS—Price HALF DOLLAR, may be purchased at any of the principal stores, and seats reserved Messrs. Bagnall & Co's Music Store. de1

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Apply to JOHN J. JACOBS on the premises, de10 Fort St., bet. Quadra and Vancouver.

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THE PARK HOTEL ON BEACON HILL— de6 Enquire on the Premises.

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THE LOT OF LAND WITH BUILDINGS THEREon erected corner of View street and Broad street, next to the Driard House, West, known as Victoria Town Lot 413. Address by letter stating price to "M. A.," *The Colonist* office. de5

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A class for boys under eight years of age has also been formed. For particulars apply to ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

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Peddler Gunn, a canny Scott, walks Victoria round,
Carries in a satchel posh goods of the choicest found;
I lug in my basket neat, Fruits, Candies, in a can,
Tobacco for some that suits, to use it is a bad plan.
I carry in my little box Spools, Papers, Pins,
Matches, Polish of every sort, to make things tidy clean.
I sell as cheap as other men, think it no disgrace
To share your favor with Brother Gunn cannot be out of place.
Ye wholesale folks think it not a stain upon your fame
That you should buy of me a wee bit's worth now and again.
Equals in future the good shall be, the cotter and his Lord,
It is only pure morality that's by humanity adored;
The honest poor never slight, he may be king of men,
While one is struggling in the right help him all you can.
I call around on rich and poor, all equals with me;
I reverence only good characters whatever their purses be.
Reserve a bit in kindness, please, to buy when I do pause,
For you shall never poorer be to encourage a worthy cause.
I thank, sincerely thank, those who befriended me;
All that from good motives act shall rich rewarded be.

de6 1m DONALD GUNN.

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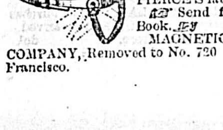

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MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, United Kingdom Europe and U. S., *via* San Francisco.	About the 3d, 13th and 23d of each month.	On the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month at 10 A. M.
Do. *via* Port Townsend..	Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 4:30 P. M.	Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 6 P.M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Once a month at irregular date..................	On the 20th of Aug., Sept., Oct., Nov., and 10th Dec.
China and Japan.......	do do	On 20th day of each month.
Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast	do do	On the 10th & 30th days of each month.
New Westminster and Burrard Inlet.	Wednesdays and Saturdays at 3 P.M.	Mondays and Thursdays at 6 P. M.
Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday at 3 P.M........	Thursday at 6 P. M.
Nanaimo, Wellington and offices on East Coast.	Thursdays and every alternate Saturday at 5 P.M..	Mondays and every alternate Thursday at 6 P. M.
Comox and East Coast offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M.	Every alternate Monday at 6 P.M.
Esquimalt..............	Daily at 10 A.M. and 2 P.M.	Daily at 11.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M.
Metchosin..............	Monday at 1 P.M.........	Tuesday at 12 noon.
Saanich................	Wednesday at 9 A.M......	Wednesday at 12 noon.
Sooke..................	Monday at 3 P.M.........	Tuesday at 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, United Kingdom, Newfoundland and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Granville, Nanaimo, New Westminster, Quesnelle, Soda Creek, Spence's Bridge, Sumas and Yale, can be obtained at this office.

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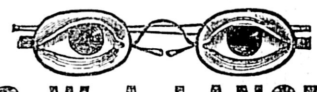

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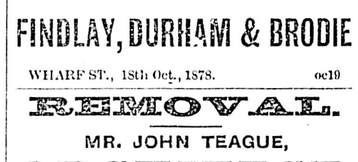

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ACCOUNTS AGAINST the late C. Pumpmaker are requested to forward a certified statement of the same to the undersigned before the 30th day of December, 1878; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to settle the same with the undersigned immediately.

E. M. FURSTENAU, CHAS. A. SEMLIN, Executors

Cache Creek, Oct. 1st, 1878. oc6dw

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Monday, the 30th Dec., at 8 o'clock.

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A LECTURE BY THE VERY REV. DEAN MASON.

THE GENIUS OF SHAKESPEARE ILLUSTRATED BY THE

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ACCOUNTS AGAINST the estate of Antoine Minaberriet and the late Dominique Gregory, commonly called Basque Ranch, are requested to forward a certified statement of the same to the undersigned, executors of the will of the late Dominique Gregory, before the 1st day of February, 1879; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to settle their accounts with the undersigned immediately.

No claims shall be received against the estate after the 1st February, 1879.

Basque Ranch, 4th December, 1878.

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Location of Works - - - Hixon Creek, B.C.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said company held on the 14th day of December, 1878, the 4th assessment of one-third of one cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on the 16th day of December, 1878, to the Secretary at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B. C.

Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 16th day of January, 1879, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 10th day of February, 1879, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

R. J. SKINNER, Secretary.

Quesnelle, B.C., 14th Dec., 1878. de25dw

PROSERPINE GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

Location of Works, Wilkinson Lode, Cariboo, B. C.

ASSESSMENT NO. 2.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of the said company, held on the 11th day of November, 1878, an assessment of One Cent per Share was levied upon the capital stock of the said company, payable on the 19th day of November, 1878, to Charles Wilson, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B.C. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 17th day of December, 1878, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction and, unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 23d day of January, 1879, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

CHARLES WILSON, Secty.

Barkerville, B.C. no20dw

NOTICE.

QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.

THE THIRD ASSESSMENT OF ONE-THIRD OF One Cent per Share on the Capital Stock of the above Company, levied on 15th November, 1878, is now due and payable to the Secretary at the Company's office, Quesnelle, B.C., and will be delinquent on 15th December, 1878.

R. J. SKINNER, Secty.

Quesnelle, B.C., 15th Nov., 1878. no24dw1m

ENTERPRISE GOLD AND SILVER MINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE SECOND ASSESSMENT OF (10c.) TEN Cents per share on the capital stock of the above Company, levied on the 20th day of November, and payable to the Secretary at the Company's office, will be delinquent on the 21st day of December, 1878.

D. GUTMANN, Secretary.

Victoria, B.C., Nov. 20th, 1878. no21

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT APPLICATION WILL BE MADE AT THE next Session to the Legislative Assembly for the passage of a Private Bill to grant facilities to John Fraser Torrence and others for the speedy acquisition of the Title in fee simple to the four Mineral Claims in Cherry Creek District, surveyed by Edgar Dewdney, M. P., and recorded under the names of Fleur de Lis, Silver Lily, St. Michael and St. George in records and—receipts numbers 7,301, 7,302, 7,303 and 7,304.

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Victoria, V. I., Nov. 28, 1878. no29 1m

INSOLVENCY.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS

In the matter of Loab S. Cohen, of the City of New Westminster, General Merchant, an Insolvent.

THE INSOLVENT HAS MADE AN ASSIGNment of his estate to me, and the creditors are notified to meet at my office, Columbia street, in the City of New Westminster, on Friday the 27th day of December, at 4 o'clock p. m., to receive a statement of his affairs.

Dated New West'r, Dec. 10th, 1878.

JAMES MORRISON, Official Assignee.

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FROM THE ENCLOSURE, UPLAND Farm, Cadboro Bay about the middle of October last, 50 Southdown Ewes. A reward of $50 will be paid for their recovery.

GEORGE DEANS, Upland Farm.

Nov. 23d, 1878. no26

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MR. JOSEPH HENLEY,

And respectfully asks for his successor a continuance of the favors that he has been favored with during the past sixteen years.

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GEORGE THOMSON.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 9, 1878. de10

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Mr. G. W. ANDERSON, Fort street.
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Victoria, 24th August, 1878. au25

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WEDNESDAY, Jan. 22d.
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WEDNESDAY, Feb. 5th.
THE REV P. JENNS.—"The Microphone," its Physical Action and Use. Experimentally illustrated.
WEDNESDAY, Feb. 19th.
MR. JUSTICE GRAY.—Due notice of subject will be given
WEDNESDAY, March 5th.
THE VEN. ARCHDEACON WRIGHT.—Abyssinia and the Abyssinians
WEDNESDAY, March 19th.—Not yet settled.

Each lecture will commence at 8 p. m. Admission 25 cents; members free. oc24

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